had purchased his Ma^{tys} writt of Err^r vpon the very Judgem^t Original on which the Execucon issued is Illegall & against the Course Journal. of law.

Signd p ord' W Bladen Clk Delegates

The s^d peticon was by ord^r endorsed as followes and returned back to the house by M^r W^m Dent Viz^t

By his Excy the Govern' & Council &c.

June the 2^d 1697.

The within peticon & Vote of y^r house thereon is referred back by M^r W^m Dent one of y^r members for better explanacon for that noe writt of Err^r was issued till after the pet^r was taken in Execucon.

Sign'd p ordr Hen: Denton Cl Council.

June the 3d 1697.

The same came back endorsed as followes Vizt

By the house of delegates June the 3d 1697.

Wee have Reassumed our former debate of this matter & say that it was Represented to vs that the writt of Err was issued before execucon served but that being now denyed wee have called for the writt of Err before vs by which together with the acc the Sheriffe gives of the time he arrested the party seemes still to be that the writt of Err was issued before Execucon served as by the date of the writt of Err appeares to vs and for further satisfaccon therein wee have herewith sent the said writt of Err which was the reason of our former Resolve.

W Bladen Clk

The further proceeding in this matter appeares in the other p. 21

Journall of Council proceedings of this date.

Proposed that the minutes of every dayes proceedings both of the prov¹¹ & County Courts be constantly read over every night or morning by the Court & for the Court to be held afterwards the last Courte proceedings be read anew againe & inspected by the Justices that a due record of the same be kept.

It being signified to his Ex^{cy} that the Comittee appoynted in the matter about the Indians had drawne vp severall proposalls & made a finall Conclusion It is considered that the same be read before the whole Assembly that if in case any disputes should arrise thereabout the same might be ended in a Conference.